

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
112740-268

In Re Application of: **Franz Astleitner**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/924,975	August 8, 2001	Alpus Hsu	29177	2665	3146

Invention: **METHOD FOR TRANSMITTING CONTROL INFORMATION BETWEEN A LINE SWITCHING AND A PACKET SWITCHING COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 15, 2005 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

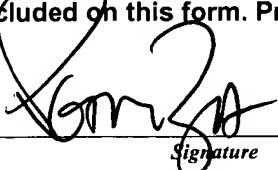
☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: December 15, 2006    until: March 15, 2006  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,020** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

  
*Signature*

Peter Zura (Reg. No. 48,196)  
Customer No. 29177

Dated: **March 15, 2006**

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March 15, 2006  
*(Date)*

  
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**Heather Foster**

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